

# Minimal Lepton Flavor Violation in Randall-Sundrum Model

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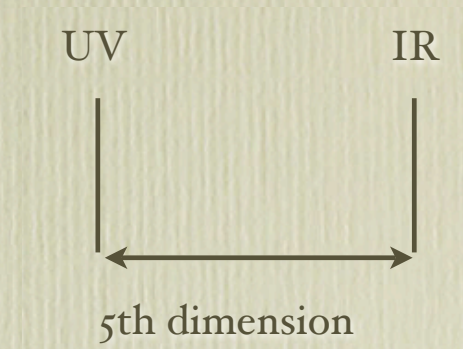
# Introduction

Randall & Sundrum, 1999

- Randall-Sundrum model: solution to gauge hierarchy problem

**5D metric:**  $ds^2 = e^{-2kr_c\phi} \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu - r_c^2 d\phi^2$

$$v_{ew} \sim e^{-\pi k R} M_{pl}$$



- Precision Constraints

- expand the bulk gauge symmetry to  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)_{B-L}$ 
  - custodial symmetry preserved
  - 1st KK mass  $\sim 3$  TeV allowed by EWPT

- Constraints on flavor sector:

- model independent analysis: with  $O(1)$  couplings:

$$\Lambda > (10^2 - 10^3) \text{ TeV}$$

Parameter	Limit on $\Lambda_F$ (TeV)
$\text{Re}C_K^1$	$1.0 \cdot 10^3$
$\text{Re}C_K^4$	$12 \cdot 10^3$
$\text{Re}C_K^5$	$10 \cdot 10^3$
$\text{Im}C_K^1$	$15 \cdot 10^3$
$\text{Im}C_K^4$	$160 \cdot 10^3$
$\text{Im}C_K^5$	$140 \cdot 10^3$



# Flavor Sector

- SM fermions on the TeV brane
  - cutoff scale  $\sim 1$  TeV
  - leads to dangerously large FCNC

- SM fermions and gauge fields in the bulk

Gherghetta & Pomarol, 2000

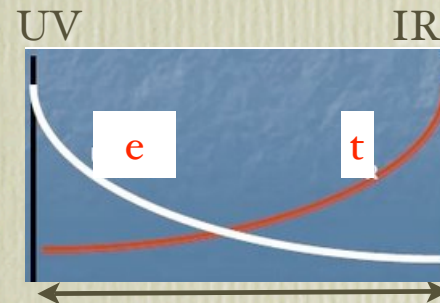
- generate fermion mass hierarchy by wave function localization

$$\psi_{(0)} \sim e^{(1/2-c)ky}$$



5D Bulk mass term

- two sources of flavor violations:
  - 5D Yukawa coupling constants
  - 5D bulk mass terms
  - **generally independent**





# Flavor Violations

- 5D Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{5D} \supset \bar{\Psi} C_{\Psi} \Psi + \bar{\psi}_u C_{\psi_u} \psi_u + \bar{\psi}_d C_{\psi_d} \psi_d + H \bar{\Psi} \lambda_U \psi_u + \bar{H} \bar{\Psi} \lambda_D \psi_d$$

- unitary transformations to diagonal basis for bulk mass matrices
- decomposition of fermion field

$$\psi(x, y) = \sum_n \frac{e^{2kr_c|\phi|}}{\sqrt{r_c}} \psi_n(x) f_n(\phi, c)$$

- couplings between zero mode fermions and gauge boson KK modes:

$$\sum_n G^n (\Psi^{0\dagger} f_{\Psi^0}^2 \Psi^0 + \psi_u^{0\dagger} f_{\psi_u^0}^2 \psi_u^0 + \psi_d^{0\dagger} f_{\psi_d^0}^2 \psi_d^0)$$



# Flavor Violations

- effective 4D Yukawa interactions

$$H\Psi^0 f_{\Psi^0}^\dagger \lambda_u^{5D} f_{\psi_u^0} \psi_u^0 + \overline{H}\Psi^0 f_{\Psi^0}^\dagger \lambda_d^{5D} f_{\psi_d^0} \psi_d^0$$

- effective 4D Yukawa couplings

$$\lambda_U^{4D} = f_{\Psi^0}^\dagger \lambda_U f_{\psi_u^0}, \quad \lambda_D^{4D} = f_{\Psi^0}^\dagger \lambda_D f_{\psi_d^0}$$

- diagonalized by the following chiral rotations:

$$\Psi^0 \rightarrow V\Psi^0, \quad \psi_u^0 \rightarrow W_u\psi_u^0, \quad \psi_d^0 \rightarrow W_d\psi_d^0$$

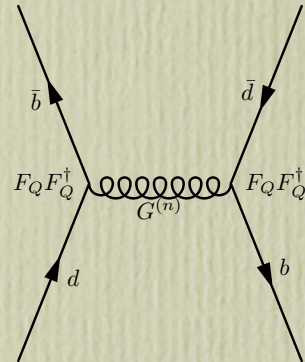
- in mass eigenstates of SM fermions: fermion-gauge couplings

$$\sum_n G^n (\Psi^{0\dagger} V^\dagger f_{\Psi^0}^2 V \Psi^0 + \psi_u^{0\dagger} W_u^\dagger f_{\psi_u^0}^2 W_u \psi_u^0 + \psi_d^{0\dagger} W_d^\dagger f_{\psi_d^0}^2 W_d \psi_d^0)$$

- **non-universal f:** leads to tree-level FCNCs
- RS-GIM mechanism:
  - light fermions close to Planck brane
  - gauge zero-mode flat
  - somewhat alleviate flavor constraints, though not enough



# Flavor Violations in Quark Sector



Contributions to  $\Delta F = 2$  processes from KK gluon exchange.

taken from Agashe, Perez, Soni, 2004

- anarchical flavor structure:
  - in diagonal bulk mass basis, 5D Yukawa matrices have no structures, i.e. all elements of the same order
- $\Lambda > 2\text{I TeV}$
- Generally:  $\Lambda > \text{O}(10) \text{ TeV}$

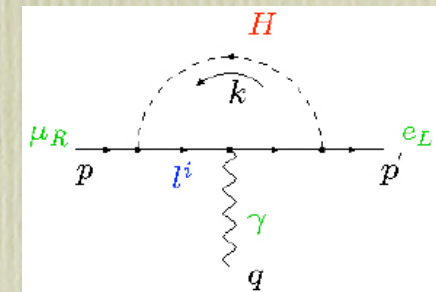
Csaki, Falkowski & Weiler, 2008



# Lepton Flavor Violations

## Contributions from FCNCs:

- presence even in the limit of massless neutrinos
- at tree level:
  - tri-lepton decays ( $\mu \rightarrow 3 e$ , etc),  $\mu$ -e conversion



## Contributions from charged currents:

- at one-loop:  $\mu \rightarrow e + \gamma$

➡ Constraint on cutoff scale:  $\Lambda_{\mu-e} > 5.9 \text{ TeV}$

Agashe, Blechman, Petriello, 2006

➡ **tension between tree-level and one-loop processes:**

- opposite dependence on Yukawa couplings
- tree-level FCNC  $\sim \frac{1}{\lambda_{5D}}$
- one-loop charged current contributions  $\sim \lambda_{5D}^2$



# Minimal Flavor Violation

D'Ambrosio, Giudice, Isidori, Strumia, 2002  
Cirigliano, Grinstein, Isidori, Wise, 2005

- assume Yukawa couplings the only source of flavor violation
- SM: absence of Yukawa couplings (with massless neutrinos]

$$G_F \equiv \text{SU}(3)_q^3 \otimes \text{SU}(3)_\ell^2 \quad \begin{aligned} \text{SU}(3)_q^3 &= \text{SU}(3)_{Q_L} \otimes \text{SU}(3)_{U_R} \otimes \text{SU}(3)_{D_R} \\ \text{SU}(3)_\ell^2 &= \text{SU}(3)_{L_L} \otimes \text{SU}(3)_{E_R} . \end{aligned}$$

- promote Yukawa couplings to be auxiliary fields

$$Y_U \sim (3, \bar{3}, 1)_{\text{SU}(3)_q^3} , \quad Y_D \sim (3, 1, \bar{3})_{\text{SU}(3)_q^3} , \quad Y_E \sim (3, \bar{3})_{\text{SU}(3)_\ell^2}$$

- can rotate to

$$Y_D = \lambda_d , \quad Y_L = \lambda_\ell , \quad Y_U = V^\dagger \lambda_u \quad \text{V: CKM matrix}$$

- effects of flavor violation:

$$(\lambda_{\text{FC}})_{ij} = (Y_U Y_U^\dagger)_{ij} \approx \lambda_t^2 V_{3i}^* V_{3j} \quad i \neq j$$

- in RS model:
- the MFV assumption relates 5D Yukawa matrices & bulk mass terms
- implementation in quark sector

Fitzpatrick, Perez, Randall, 2007



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massless Neutrinos

M.-C.C, H.B.Yu, 2008

Massless neutrino case:

- relevant 5D Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{5D}^{\text{lep}} \supset \bar{L} C_L L + \bar{e} C_e e + \bar{H} \bar{L} Y_e e$$

- Implementation of MFV:
  - only sources of flavor violation are Yukawa couplings

$$C_e = a Y_e^\dagger Y_e, \quad C_L = b Y_e Y_e^\dagger$$

- parameters a & b: O(1) proportionality constants
- MFV allows simultaneous diagonalization of  $C_e$ ,  $C_L$  and  $Y_e$



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massless Neutrinos

- simultaneous diagonalization:

- field transformations

$$L \rightarrow V L, \quad e \rightarrow W e \quad \text{thus} \quad V^\dagger Y_e W \rightarrow \hat{Y}_e$$

$$V^\dagger Y_e Y_e^\dagger V \rightarrow \hat{Y}_e \hat{Y}_e^\dagger, \quad W^\dagger Y_e^\dagger Y_e W \rightarrow \hat{Y}_e^\dagger \hat{Y}_e$$

- diagonal 5D Yukawa:  $\hat{Y}_e = \text{diag}(Y_{e1}, Y_{e2}, Y_{e3})$
  - diagonal bulk masses:  $C_e = a \hat{Y}_e^\dagger \hat{Y}_e$  and  $C_L = b \hat{Y}_e \hat{Y}_e^\dagger$
- NO tree-level FCNCs
- intrinsically different from the anarchical assumption

$$\hat{Y}_e = \text{diag}(Y_{e1}, Y_{e2}, Y_{e3})$$



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massless Neutrinos

- charged lepton masses

$$m_l \simeq v F_L Y_e F_e$$

$F_L$  and  $F_e$  are the values of the zero-mode profiles on the TeV brane

- eigenvalues of  $F_L$  and  $F_e$ :

$$f_{L_i} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - 2c_{L_i}}{1 - \epsilon^{1-2c_{L_i}}}}, \quad f_{e_i} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - 2c_{e_i}}{1 - \epsilon^{1-2c_{e_i}}}}$$

$$\epsilon = e^{-\pi k r_c} \simeq 10^{-15}$$

$c_{L_i}$  and  $c_{e_i}$  are eigenvalues of the 5D bulk mass  $C_L$  and  $C_e$ .



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massless Neutrinos

- numerical results:

$$Y_e = \text{diag}(Y_{e_1}, Y_{e_2}, Y_{e_3}),$$

$$C_L = \text{diag}(b|Y_{e_1}|^2, b|Y_{e_2}|^2, b|Y_{e_3}|^2)$$

$$C_e = \text{diag}(a|Y_{e_1}|^2, a|Y_{e_2}|^2, a|Y_{e_3}|^2).$$

$$a = 1 \text{ and } b = 1$$

$$Y_{e_1} \simeq 0.816, Y_{e_2} \simeq 0.759 \text{ and } Y_{e_3} \simeq 0.720,$$

- resulting charged lepton masses

$$m_e \simeq 0.511 \text{ MeV}, m_\mu \simeq 105.6 \text{ MeV and } m_\tau \simeq 1.77 \text{ GeV}$$



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massive Neutrinos

M.-C.C, H.B.Yu, 2008

Massive neutrino case:

- introduce three RH neutrinos
- small Dirac neutrino masses by localizing RH neutrinos toward Planck brane
- relevant 5D Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{5D}^{\text{lep}} \supset \bar{L}C_LL + \bar{e}C_e e + \bar{N}C_N N + \bar{H}\bar{L}Y_e e + H\bar{L}Y_\nu N$$

- Implementation of MFV:
  - only sources of flavor violation are Yukawa couplings

$$C_e = aY_e^\dagger Y_e, \quad C_N = dY_\nu^\dagger Y_\nu, \quad C_L = c(\xi Y_\nu Y_\nu^\dagger + Y_e Y_e^\dagger)$$

- parameters a & c & d: O(1) proportionality constants



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massive Neutrinos

- can rotate to basis where either  $Y_e$  or  $Y_\nu$  is diagonal
- without loss of generality: work in  $Y_e$  diagonal basis  $Y_e = \hat{Y}_e$

$$Y_\nu = V_{5D} \hat{Y}_\nu, \quad V_{5D} : \quad 5\text{D Leptonic Mixing Matrix}$$

- in this basis, both  $C_N$  and  $C_e$  are diagonal, but not  $C_L$

$$\hat{C}_N \equiv d \hat{Y}_\nu \hat{Y}_\nu^\dagger \text{ and } \hat{C}_e \equiv a \hat{Y}_e \hat{Y}_e^\dagger$$

$$C_L \simeq (\xi V_{5D} \hat{C}_N V_{5D}^\dagger + \hat{C}_e)$$

- eigenvalues of  $C_L$ : zero mode localizations of SU(2) doublets
- leads to a set of constraints on 5D bulk mass parameters



# MFV in Lepton Sector -- Massive Neutrinos

- non-diagonal term  $\sim \xi$  in  $C_L$ : source of FCNC in charged lepton sector
- contributions to FCNC: depends on  $\xi$
- $V_{5D}$  unknown: taking the trace:

$$\text{Tr}(C_L) \simeq c(\xi \text{Tr}(C_N) + \text{Tr}(C_e))$$

- small neutrino masses  $\Rightarrow$  small  $\xi$
- realistic charged lepton masses:

$$C_{L_i}, C_{e_i} \sim (0.4 - 0.6)$$

- small neutrino masses: RH neutrinos close to Planck brane

$$C_{N_i} \sim (1.2 - 1.5)$$

- The trace relation then implies  $\xi \sim (0 - 0.1)$

- FCNC contributions suppressed by  $\xi^2 \sim O(0 - 10^{-2})$



# Charged Current Contributions

- in the presence of massive neutrinos:
  - charged current contributions to LFV
- MFV does not suppress charged current contributions to LFV



## Numerical Results (massive neutrino case)

$$\xi \simeq 0 \quad a = c = d = 4.$$

$$Y_{e_1} \simeq 0.405, \quad Y_{e_2} \simeq 0.375 \quad Y_{e_3} \simeq 0.354,$$

$$\theta_{12} \simeq 1.383, \quad \theta_{23} \simeq 1.358, \quad \theta_{13} \simeq 1.338,$$

$$Y_{\nu_1} \simeq 0.713, \quad Y_{\nu_2} \simeq 0.5634 \text{ and } Y_{\nu_3} \simeq 0.5475,$$

$$\hat{Y}_\nu = \text{diag}(Y_{\nu_1}, Y_{\nu_2}, Y_{\nu_3}) \quad Y_\nu \equiv V_{5D} \hat{Y}_\nu \simeq \begin{pmatrix} 0.0307 & 0.128 & 0.533 \\ -0.275 & -0.504 & 0.123 \\ 0.657 & -0.217 & 0.0267 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- resulting masses and mixing angles:

$$\sin^2 \theta_{12}^\nu \simeq 0.28, \quad \sin^2 \theta_{23}^\nu \simeq 0.49, \quad \sin^2 \theta_{13}^\nu \simeq 0.023$$
$$\Delta m_{21}^2 \simeq 7.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{eV}^2, \quad \Delta m_{31}^2 \simeq 2.7 \times 10^{-3} \text{eV}^2$$

- for  $\text{Br}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) \sim 10^{-12}$  1st KK mass  $\sim 3$  TeV allowed



# Comments

- mild hierarchy among 5D parameters:  $\sim O(25)$  needed for large neutrino mixing

$$Y_\nu \equiv V_{5D} \hat{Y}_\nu \simeq \begin{pmatrix} 0.0307 & 0.128 & 0.533 \\ -0.275 & -0.504 & 0.123 \\ 0.657 & -0.217 & 0.0267 \end{pmatrix}.$$

generic anarchy case:

$$V_{ij} \sim f_{L_i}/f_{L_j}$$

large atm & solar mixing angles:  $f_{L_1}/f_{L_2} \sim 1$  and  $f_{L_2}/f_{L_3} \sim 1$ .

- MFV with  $\xi = 0$ ,  $f_{L_i}/f_{L_j}$  is fixed by  $\sqrt{m_i/m_j}$

$$f_{L_1}/f_{L_2} \simeq 0.07 \quad f_{L_2}/f_{L_3} \simeq 0.24.$$

- some structure in 5D Yukawa needed to accommodate mixing angles and mass ratios simultaneously



# Comments

- counting the number of independent parameters that determine 5D Yukawa and bulk masses in lepton sector: (without CPV)

- anarchical case: 27 parameters

- 3x3 (diagonal C) + 2 x 9 (general Y)

$$\mathcal{L}_{5D}^{\text{lep}} \supset \overline{L} C_L L + \overline{e} C_e e + \overline{N} C_N N + \overline{H} \overline{L} Y_e e + H \overline{L} Y_\nu N$$

- MFV: 12 parameters

- 3x3 (eigenvalues of Y) + 4 (prop. constants) - 1 (trace relation)

$$Y_\nu = V_{5D} \hat{Y}_\nu,$$

$$\hat{C}_N \equiv d \hat{Y}_\nu \hat{Y}_\nu^\dagger \text{ and } \hat{C}_e \equiv a \hat{Y}_e \hat{Y}_e^\dagger$$

- allow suppression in FCNC & charged current contributions to LFV
  - not possible in anarchical case, due to opposite dependence on 5D Yukawas



# Conclusions

- RS model: provides novel way to generate fermion mass hierarchy
  - additional sources of flavor violation: the bulk parameters
  - leads to tree-level FCNC
  - tension between tree- and one-loop contributions
  - generically,  $\Lambda > \mathcal{O}(10) \text{ TeV}$
- with Minimal Flavor Violation:
  - tree-level FCNCs suppressed due to small neutrino masses
  - massless neutrino limit: NO tree-level FCNCs
- solutions exist that give realistic lepton masses and mixing angles
- 1st KK mass  $\sim 3 \text{ TeV}$  allowed
  - viable solution to gauge hierarchy problem
  - testability at collider experiments